Mountain Weather Forecast

Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Thursday 18 Feb 2021 until 23:59 on Friday 19 Feb 2021

Forecast Issued on Thursday 18 Feb 2021 at 00:10

Confidence: High for unsettled and changeable conditions. Medium in details from Saturday.

Headline for Thursday 18 Feb 2021: Heavy rain clearing to showers. Windy with gales expected.

Mountain weather hazards on Thursday 18 Feb 2021

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
High Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Medium Likelihood

Poor visibility
Medium Likelihood

Thunderstorms
Low Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
Low Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Heavy Rain	Light rain	Sunny intervals	Heavy rain showers	Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability					
>95%	40%	30%	40%	30%	10%

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Weather: Outbreaks of rain during the morning, heavy at times with a short spell of very heavy rain and squally gusts of wind likely. Drier by midday with some brighter skies, but soon turning showery, these perhaps wintry over the summits with a risk of hail and sleet. Turning drier again in the evening. Windy with a severe wind chill.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: 30% early morning with extensive cloud, base 600m or less. Becoming 70% from midday with occasional or extensive cloud, bases near or just above the summits.

Visibility: Good or very good falling to moderate or poor in rain or showers. Very poor at first over the summits.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	30/39 SW	19/26 W	25/36 SW	29/41 SW	22/32 SW	19/28 SW	20/29 S
300	18/36 SW	11/23 W	16/34 SW	19/38 SW	14/30 SW	10/24 SW	12/26 S
Valley	16/36 SW	10/22 W	15/34 SW	16/36 SW	13/30 SW	9/23 SW	9/23 S

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	4/-2	2/-5	3/-4	2/-5	2/-4	2/-4	1/-5
300	7/2	4/-0	6/2	5/-0	4/0	3/-0	3/-1
Valley	8/4	4/1	7/3	6/1	5/1	4/1	4/0
Freezing Level*	1300m	700m	700m	800m	700m	800m	800m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View
Nothing further to add.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
03:00 on Thu 18 Feb 2021	20.8mm	32.4mm	38.6mm

Forecast for Friday 19 Feb 2021
Weather: Overcast with outbreaks of heavy and persistent rain. Severe gales or storm force winds over the summits.

Maximum wind: Southerly 50mph gusting 70mph

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: 30%, extensive cloud 600 to 900m.

Visibility: Moderate or poor in rain and very poor at times at height. Occasionally good lower down.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 3 Celsius rising to 9 Celsius
At 600m: Around Plus 1 Celsius rising to 5 Celsius
Freezing level: Around 800m rising above the summits.

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